

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEW MEXICO**

JASON SKAGGS,

Petitioner,

v.

No. 22-cv-0050 JB/SMV

**DWAYNE SANTISTEVAN and
ATTORNEY GENERAL OF NEW MEXICO,**

Respondents.

ORDER TO CURE DEFICIENCY

THIS MATTER is before the Court on Jason Skaggs' 28 U.S.C. § 2254 Habeas Petition [Doc. 1]. The filing is deficient because Skaggs has not prepaid the \$5 habeas fee or, alternatively, filed a motion to proceed *in forma pauperis* supported by a six-month inmate account statement. Petitioner must cure the deficiency within 30 days of entry of this Order. The civil action number (21-cv-0050 JB/SMV) should be included on all filings. Failure to timely comply with this Order will result in dismissal of the case without further notice.

IT IS ORDERED that no later than **March 9, 2022**, Skaggs must either prepay the \$5 habeas fee or, alternatively, file a motion to proceed *in forma pauperis* along with a certified account statement for the period between July 24, 2021, and January 24, 2022.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Clerk's Office mail to Petitioner, along with a copy of this Order, a form motion to proceed *in forma pauperis*.



STEPHAN M. VIDMAR
United States Magistrate Judge